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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

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Town Officers

MODERATOR

Harry A. Goodwin

CLERK

George T. Noyes

SELECTMEN

Harry A. Goodwin

Harry J. Bishop

M. J. Sullivan

TREASURER

M. L. Jackson

TAX COLLECTOR

Miss E. K. Jackson

AUDITOR

Mrs. Margaret Green

HIGHWAY AGENTS

William A. Green

A. V. Lang

Frank Beaton

HEALTH OFFICER

E. T. Goodnow

SUPERVISORS

Bernard Harvey

T. C. Churchill

Brinie Ferrin

POLICE

E. T. Goodnow

Bernard McCulloch

JANITOR OF TOWN BUILDING

Merril Grey

TRUSTEES TRUST FUND

M. L. Jackson

Bessie A. Coney

Florence Turner

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Miss C. A. Kidder

Mrs. T. C. Churchill

Miss Esther Turner

Miss E. K. Jackson

James Turner

Mrs. Fred Badger

TO THE RESIDENTS OF BETHLEHEM:

In submitting this financial report to you, we wish to draw your attention to several facts.

The town debt has been increased \$1,597.88. Against this increase, the Selectmen purchased the Bethlehem Amusement property for \$2,000 in order to protect other town property. The September hurricane and flood ruined the water line and highways. Immediately the Selectmen contacted W. P. A. officials in Manchester and Berlin and arranged for a repair project in Bethlehem. In doing this practically all labor cost was paid by the government, and all trucks, materials, etc., was paid by the town, amounting to \$4,329.38 on highways alone for their part, besides expending approximately \$1,000 of highway money for necessary emergency work before the project started.

Had these extra expenditures not been forced upon us the town debt would have been decreased by the amount of \$3,731.50.

THE SELECTMEN.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description

1.	Town hall, lands and Building -----	\$ 50,000.00
	Furniture and Equipment -----	500.00
2.	Libraries:	
	Furniture and Equipment -----	2,000.00
4.	Fire Department:	
	Equipment -----	3,500.00
6.	Parks, Commons and Playgrounds -----	3,500.00
6a	Bethlehem Amusement Co. -----	2,000.00
8.	Schools, Lands and Buildings -----	100,000.00
10.	Land and buildings acquired through Tax	
	Collectors Deeds:	
	Lot 46 by Number only -----	500.00
	Joe McKinnon, land -----	25.00
	Julia Bowens, land -----	200.00
	John Kerr, land -----	150.00
	Geo. A. Williams, land and buildings -----	750.00
	George Quimby Est., land and buildings -----	750.00
	Russell Enderson, land and building -----	200.00
11.	Other Property:	
	E. W. Ness, land -----	500.00
	C. A. Kidder, land -----	1,200.00
		\$165,775.00

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

April 1, 1938

450	Polls -----	\$ 900.00
	Real Estate -----	2,813,895.00
61	Horses -----	7,900.00
285	Cows -----	13,130.00
8	Oxen -----	650.00
4	Neat Stock -----	250.00
57	Sheep -----	307.00
10	Hogs -----	100.00
250	Fowl -----	250.00
	Electric Power Plant -----	237,000.00
	Gas Pumps and Tanks -----	3,640.00
	Stock in Trade -----	16,000.00
160	Fur Bearing Animals -----	800.00
		\$3,094,822.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

Estimates of Revenue for the ensuing year, January 31, 1939 to January 31, 1940, compared with actual revenue of the previous year, January 31, 1938 to January 31, 1939.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1938	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1939
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax -----	\$ 8,127.72	\$ 8,000.00
Railroad Tax -----	375.29	350.00
Savings Bank Tax -----	442.14	400.00
For Fighting Forest Fires -----	8.20	
Bounties -----	11.80	1.60
Abatement State Tax -----	1,503.98	1,250.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court -----	217.95	
Interest received on taxes -----	147.31	200.00
Income from Departments:		
(c) Trust Funds -----	134.00	300.00
Income from Municipally Owned Utilities:		
(a) Water Department—New Line -----	2,060.90	2,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees -----	1,474.55	1,450.00
From Local Taxes other than Property Taxes:		
(a) Poll Taxes -----	820.00	800.00
(b) National Bank Taxes -----	45.00	45.00
Cash on hand -----		15,789.68
Amount to be Raised by Property Tax -----		92,000.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

Estimates of Expenditures for the ensuing year, January 31, 1939 to January 31, 1940, compared with actual expenditures of the previous year, January 31, 1938 to January 31, 1939.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1938	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1939
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries -----	\$ 2,136.00	\$ 2,100.00
Town Officers' Expenses -----	539.72	500.00
Election and Registration Expenses -----	274.50	150.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Buildings -	1,672.67	1,600.00
Municipal Court Expenses ----	164.15	150.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department -----	2,240.98	2,000.00
Fire Department -----	439.20	250.00
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust -----	400.00	400.00
Health:		
Health Department -----	397.31	375.00
Vital Statistics -----	45.25	45.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Maintenance -----	17,322.25	16,000.00
Street Lighting -----	3,207.50	3,207.50
General Expenses of Highway Department -	5,676.55	5,500.00
Unclassified Expenditure -----	6,667.31	5,000.00
Libraries:		
Libraries -----	500.00	500.00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor -----	3,133.64	2,400.00
Old Age Assistance -----	495.00	600.00

Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day -----	150.00	150.00
Recreation:		
Parks and Playgrounds -----	120.77	125.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries -----	1,075.18	1,000.00
Interest:		
On Temporary Loans -----	600.00	1,000.00
On Bonded Debt -----	1,590.00	1,450.00
On Long Term Notes -----	1,620.00	1,500.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Construction, Austin Road -----	1,160.04	3,000.00
State Aid Construction—Town's Share	2,597.62	2,000.00
W. P. A. -----	4,329.38	
Payments on Principal of Dept:		
(a) Bonds -----	3,500.00	3,500.00
(b) Long Term Notes -----	3,000.00	3,000.00
(c) Deficit of Previous Year -----		1,597.88
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
State Taxes -----	6,336.00	6,500.00
County Taxes -----	11,826.57	12,000.00
Payments to Precincts -----	16,500.00	16,500.00
Payments to School Districts -----	29,236.77	29,000.00

APPROPRIATIONS

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1939

For all Purposes \$105,924.14

TAX RATE ON \$100.00

State, County, Town and Highways ----- 2.87

Village District ----- .88

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$15,789.68
Accounts Due to the Town:	
Due from State:	
Bounties	1.60
Other bills due Town:	
Bethlehem Village District, electric lights, 2 yrs.	200.00
Unredeemed taxes:	
1938	
H. C. Barrett, Est.	\$762.88
Raymond C. Brooks	46.21
Bethlehem Fur Farm	64.52
Lucy Brooks	8.43
Alice Churchill	81.46
Sarah Chesley	688.97
Etta Colby	233.33
Charles & Bertha Eastman	144.23
Paul Ebelt	35.75
Hattie Garneau	119.43
Fred Gilbert	6.37
Ralph Hazen	121.73
David Hazen	44.18
Gertrude Harrigan	28.94
N. F. Miles, Est.	32.56
Fred Miller	28.77
Albert Murphy, Est.	26.74
Elmer Nichols	8.43
William Norman	8.37
Georgia Quimby	28.77
Ezra Peavey	59.28
Rufus Slocum	32.55

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LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due the School District:

(a) Dog licenses -----	\$ 111.00
(b) Balance of Appropriation -----	9,750.00
(c) Forest Reserve -----	545.23

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*Town of Bethlehem**BALANCE*

(Assets Brought Forward from Page 10)

Rhetta Scott	12.79
Victor Whitcomb	21.51
John P. & A. White	105.03
F. D. Lewis, Est.	16.69
Israel Anthony	33.88
Deana Anthony	117.40
Bertha Davis	6.44
Hannah Gottlieb	5.81
Nona Lamere, Est	26.74
Myron Richardson, Est.	130.23
Erwin Schofield	6.44
J. E. McKenna	29.65
Earl Thompson	18.03
John R. Tabor	47.19
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Total of 1938 unredeemed taxes	3,189.73
1937	
Raymond C. Brooks	47.23
Raymond & Helen Brooks	11.90
Sarah Chesley	646.60
Etta Colby	219.90
Charles Eastman	90.97
Hattie Garneau	112.71
Ralph Hazen	164.70
N. F. Miles, Est.	31.51
Fred Miller	27.94
Rufus Slocum	31.51
Rhetta Scott	12.40
Lester Stone	96.99
Victor Whitcomb	9.90
William Whitem	37.46

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(Liabilities Brought Forward from Page 11)

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Littleton Savings Bank, refunding ----- \$33,000.00

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*Town of Bethlehem**BALANCE*

(Assets Brought Forward from Page 12)

John P. & A. White	78.22
George Dexter	17.79
William & Charlotte Green	450.10
Nona Lamere, Est.	25.91
Charles Mozrall	20.34
J. E. McKenna	28.71
Philip Martignetti	42.80
Erwin W. Scofield	6.38
Charles H. Williams	31.57
Bertha Davis	4.93
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Total of 1937 unredeemed taxes	2,248.67
1936	
Hattie Garneau	61.74
Ralph Hazen	173.37
F. W. Lewis	20.70
Rhetta Scott	12.91
Hannah Erger	75.11
Charles F. Cross	1.46
Bertha E. Cross	1.46
Erwin W. Scofield	1.46
Joseph Lambert	1.46
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Total of 1936 unredeemed taxes	361.67
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$21,791.35
Excess of Liabilities over assets (net debt)	59,614.88
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GRAND TOTAL	\$81,406.23
Net Debt, January 31, 1938	58,017.00
Net Debt, January 31, 1939	59,614.88
Increase of Debt	1,597.88

*SHEET**January 31, 1939*

(Liabilities Brought Forward from Page 13)

Bonds Outstanding:

Project 2554 Water Bonds	\$25,000.00
Project 2529 Sidewalk Bonds	9,000.00
Project 2574 Sewer Bonds	4,000.00

TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$81,406.23
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GRAND TOTAL	\$81,406.23
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RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed to

collector 1938 ----- \$105,297.94

Less uncollected 1938 234.81

1. Property taxes, current

year actually collected ----- \$105,063.13

2. Poll taxes, current year,

actually collected ----- 820.00

3. National Bank Stock taxes ----- 45.00

Total of current year's collection ----- \$105,928.13

4. Property and poll taxes previous

years actually collected ----- 178.18

5. Tax sales redeemed ----- 2,920.18

From State:

6. For highways and Bridges:

(d) For State Aid Construction:

State treasurer, culvert ----- 480.89

7. Reimbursement for old age assistance ----- 395.93

8. Interest and Dividend tax ----- 8,127.72

10. Railroad tax ----- 375.29

11. Savings Bank tax ----- 442.14

13. Fighting Forest Fires ----- 8.20

14. Bounties ----- 11.80

14a Abatement State tax ----- 1,503.98

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PAYMENTS, For Year Ending January 31, 1939

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$ 2,136.00
2. Town officers' expenses	539.72
3. Election and registration expenses ...	274.50
4. Municipal court expenses	164.15
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,673.67

Protection of persons and Property:

6. Police department, and care of tramps	2,240.98
7. Fire Department	439.20
8. Moth extermination	400.00
9. Bounties	1.60

Health:

10. Health department	397.31
11. Vital statistics	45.25

Highways and Bridges:

16. Town maintenance	17,322.25
17. Street lighting	3,207.50
18. General expense of highway dept.	5,676.55

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From County:

15. For Support of poor:	
Poor off County farm	\$ 268.74
Refund account Oscar Enderson	10.00

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

17. Dog licenses	111.00
19. Fines and forfeits, municipal court	217.95
21. Interest received on taxes	147.31
23. Income from trust funds:	
Account of cemeteries	69.00
Account of Town building	65.00
25. Income from Departments:	
Water tax on New Line	2,060.90
27. Registration of motor vehicles, 1938 Permits	1,474.55
28. National forest reserve	545.23

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PAYMENTS, Continued

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Libraries:

19. Libraries ----- \$ 500.00

Charities:

21. Town poor ----- 3,528.64

22. County poor ----- 194.46

Patriotic Purposes:

23. Memorial Day exercises ----- 150.00

Recreation:

25. Parks and playgrounds ----- 120.77

Public Service Enterprises:

28. Cemeteries, care of ----- 1,075.18

Unclassified:

29a Miscellaneous ----- 6,667.31

29. Damages and legal expenses ----- 131.16

30. Taxes bought by Town ----- 3,226.74

31. Discounts and abatements ----- 1,189.97

Total Current Maintenance Expenses ----- \$ 51,302.91

Interest:

32. Paid on temporary loans in
anticipation of taxes ----- 600.00

33. Paid on long term notes ----- 1,620.00

34. Paid on bonded debt ----- 1,590.00

Total interest payments ----- 3,810.00

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*Town of Bethlehem**RECEIPTS AND*

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Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

29. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$27,000.00
33. Insurance adjustments: Damage to Town property	20.00
34. Refunds: Chester Wallace, refund of assistance	10.00
St. Marys School, paid for police ----	5.00
F. J. Beaton, double payments	21.71
Patricks Garage, tarvia	5.00
B. & M. Railroad, paid help on fire--	14.00
Ray Howe, paid twice	2.25
State Highway Dept., paid twice	2.00
Socony Oil Co., paid twice	10.25
Parkers Drugs, paid twice	1.70
State Garage, error on check50
S. D. Morgan, paid the 1937-8 asset ..	15.00
37. Sale of Town property acquired by tax deeds: Bertha Eastman, property	125.00
Christina Girouard, property	25.00
Total receipts other than current revenue ----	\$ 27,257.41
Total receipts from all sources	\$152,599.53
Cash on hand February 1, 1938	23,840.44
GRAND TOTAL	\$176,439.97

PAYMENTS, Continued

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Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:	
36. Highways and Bridges—State Aid	---\$ 2,597.62
38. Highways and Bridges—W.P.A.	---- 1,160.04
39. Water Works	----- 4,329.38
43. Lands and buildings	----- 51.00
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Total Outlay Payments	----- \$ 8,138.04
Indebtedness:	
45. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	----- 27,000.00
46. Payments on long term notes	----- 3,000.00
47. Payments on bonded dept. P.W.A. bonds	----- 3,500.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	----- \$ 33,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:	
51. Taxes paid to State	----- 6,336.00
52. Taxes paid to County	----- 11,826.57
53. Payments to Precincts	----- 16,500.00
54. Payments to School Districts	----- 29,236.77
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	----- \$ 63,899.34
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Total Payments for all Purposes	----- 160,650.29
Cash on hand January 31, 1939	----- 15,789.68
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GRAND TOTAL	----- \$176,439.97

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Detail 1. Salaries:

Mrs. W. A. Green, Auditor 1937 -----	\$ 25.00
H. A. Goodwin, Moderator -----	36.00
H. A. Goodwin, Selectman -----	400.00
H. J. Bishop, Selectman -----	400.00
M. J. Sullivan, Selectman -----	400.00
M. L. Jackson, Treasurer -----	250.00
Miss E. K. Jackson, Tax Collector -----	400.00
George T. Noyes, Town Clerk -----	100.00
H. J. Bishop, Overseer of Relief -----	125.00
	\$ 2,136.00

Detail 2. Supplies and Expenses of Town Officers:

H. S. Holden, Revenue stamps -----	1.00
Eleanor Winterbottom, clerical services --	5.25
M. J. Sullivan, expense -----	50.27
H. J. Bishop, expense -----	61.40
Roy Hildreth, stamps and box rent -----	57.89
Bethlehem Press, tax bills -----	83.75
Association N. H. Assessors, dues -----	2.00
Chas. E. Dixon, recording -----	.60
F. J. Shores, transfers -----	33.59
John Martignetti, use of car -----	1.50
20th Century Club, meals -----	16.00
Henry Colby, use of car -----	1.00
Century Indemnity Company, bonds -----	120.00

Martha E. Bishop, clerical work -----	50.00
Bethlehem Star Rebeccas, meals -----	18.00
Courier Printing Company, ballots and advertising -----	11.50
U. S. Auto & Truck Guide, auto guide --	3.75
E. K. Jackson, stamps and envelopes ----	22.22
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539.72

Detail 3. Election and Registration Expenses:

William Cere, Ballot Clerk -----	3.00
J. E. Harrington, Ballot Clerk -----	9.00
O. M. Ramsey, Ballot Clerk -----	9.00
T. C. Churchill, Supervisor -----	75.00
Bethlehem Star Rebecca Lodge, meals ----	18.00
B. L. Harvey, Supervisor -----	50.00
William Aiken, Supervisor and Ballot Clerk -----	26.50
Brinie Ferrin, Supervisor -----	75.00
Edward Harrigan, Ballot Clerk -----	9.00
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274.50

Detail 4. Municipal Court Expenses:

J. E. Harrington, salary -----	100.00
J. E. Harrington, Court expense -----	64.15
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164.15

Detail 5. Care and Supplies for Town Buildings:

New England Telephone and Telegraph, telephone -----	32.23
Northern Coal Company, supplies and labor	68.15
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity and supplies -----	129.57
Frank Brown, Janitor -----	115.46
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies -----	494.15
C. F. Harris & Company, repairs -----	5.50
R. C. Brooks, repairs -----	5.50
Bernard Harvey, repairs -----	118.50
Maryland Insurance Company, insurance ..	169.50
Merrill Gray, Janitor -----	326.25
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., window cleaner ..	2.99
Alfred Perry, repairing roof -----	129.20
MacLeods, supplies -----	9.00
Houles Electric Shop, labor -----	21.50
E. T. Goodnow, telephone and labor ----	32.71
Shea's Laundry, cleaning blankets -----	2.40
Edward Harrigan, labor -----	11.06

 1,673.67

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Detail 6. Police Department:

Robert Norman, watchman	\$ 19.50
E. T. Goodnow, payroll	426.50
Wm. Garneau, traffic duty	305.00
Harold Green, special police	443.68
E. T. Goodnow, salary	400.00
E. T. Goodnow, supplies	28.30
E. T. Goodnow, traffic duty	618.00

2,240.98

Detail 7. Fire Department:

Bethlehem Fire Dept., appropriation ----	200.00
Irving Phillips, payroll	239.20

439.20

Detail 8. Moth Extermination and Blister Rust:

John H. Foster, appropriation	400.00
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400.00

Detail 9. Bounties:

Thomas Garneau, 3 hedgehogs60
Ed Jervah, 1 hedgehog20
Courtland Quimby, 3 hedgehogs60
George Sargent, 1 hedgehog20

1.60

HEALTH

Detail 11. Health Department:

J. M. Page, M.D., medical services	
a c Scarlet Fever -----	56.50
E. T. Goodnow, supplies and labor -----	40.81
Bessie Edson, Treas., community nurse --	300.00
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397.31

Detail 12. Vital Statistics:

George T. Noyes, recording -----	45.25
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45.25

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Detail 16. Town Maintenance:

	Trucks and Material	Labor
F. J. Beaton, payroll -----	\$1,234.34	\$ 2,298.27
A. V. Lang, payroll -----	1,687.22	2,587.08
W. A. Green, payroll -----	1,240.89	2,156.62
T. C. Churchill, payroll -----	2,151.18	3,443.17
Dennis Lehan -----		24.00
Irving Phillips, care of Sanborn Road-----		122.59
Ralph Hazen, plowing road -----		7.60
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies -----	20.35	
State Highway Dept. -----	62.60	
State Treasurer, oiling roads -----	161.80	
E. K. Jackson, Weld, Blaney, Burroughs Roads -----		124.54
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	\$6,558.38	\$10,763.87

Detail 17. Street Lighting:

Public Service Company of N. H.-----	\$ 3,207.50	
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		\$ 3,207.50

Detail 18. General Expense of Highways:

Holbrook Grocery, salt -----	30.00
John Finn, storing snow fence -----	7.00
Casseline Venable Co., snow plow and wings	716.80
Dionne Welding Co., repairs -----	35.46
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies -----	85.48

Shunk Mfg. Co., repairs	7.50
Dyar Soles Machine Co., machine blade ..	10.63
Long Hill Garage, repairs	16.50
The Barrett Co., tarvia and K.P.	3,131.62
Courier Printing Co., forms	6.50
State Treasurer, mulcher	50.00
Depot Store, calcium chloride	8.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	371.11
N. P. Clough & Co., calcium chloride ----	66.64
C. F. Harris Co., repairs	3.75
T. W. Churchill & Son, sand	108.14
Roy Horne, labor	2.25
State Highway Dept., use of roller	2.00
Public Service Co., traffic light	5.76
State Highway Garage, expense	
painting bridge	32.76
Roy D. Thompson, painting bridge	211.15
Treas. State of N. H., material for bridge	97.80
R. C. Brooks, labor	1.50
A. V. Lang, labor	69.00
Travelers Insurance Co., compensation	
insurance	430.40
Solvay Sales Corp., calcium chloride ----	168.80

5,676.55

LIBRARIES

Detail 19. Libraries:

Bethlehem Public Library, appropriation --\$ 500.00

500.00

CHARITIES

Detail 21. Town Poor:

Belle Dexter	149.18
Norman McLeod	300.05
Everett Enderson	92.92
Old Age Assistance	494.95
Margaret Enderson	161.20
Peter Sheedy	22.39
Hattie Briggs	675.85
Maurice Plant	8.35
Merrill Gray	43.02
Russell Enderson	173.24
Geo. Sargent	21.06
Mrs. Mary Sargent	289.40
John McCrea	278.61
Oscar Enderson	14.50
Transients	34.75
Forest Huntoon	322.88
Thomas Scott	49.00
Assistance account of fire	5.67
Smith	23.50
Winifred Miles	130.25
Melvina Miles	237.87

 3,528.64
Detail 22. County Poor:

Dan Kilmer	15.18
A. Hynes	66.40
D. C. Duffy	58.88
Elmer Nichols	25.50

Margaret Enderson -----	10.00
Smith -----	18.50
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194.46

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Detail 23. Memorial Day:

I. A. Taylor, Memorial Day appropriation -----	150.00
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150.00

RECREATION

Detail 25. Parks and Ploygrounds:

T. C. Churchill, care of ball park -----	120.77
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120.77

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Detail 28. Cemeteries:

Philip Sanborn, payroll -----	1,038.79
Wayside Gardens, plants -----	7.00
Hoosier Canvas Co., canvas -----	15.00
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies -----	3.96
Ernest Wolcott, labor -----	10.43
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1,075.18

UNCLASSIFIED

Detail 29a. Miscellaneous:

S. R. Jellison, printing town reports.....	\$ 183.80
White Mountain Region, regional advertising	316.00
Courier Printing Co., booklets	410.00
A. L. A. Green Book, advertising	35.00
J. E. Harrington, Road Survey	10.00
Ida Barry, rental for sign	25.00
A. A. Varney, rental for sign	10.00
H. A. Clifford, rental for sign	12.50
B. L. Harvey, labor	11.01
W. I. Richardson, surveying	12.00
Roy Hildreth, postage on booklets	7.65
George T. Noyes, distribution of booklets	20.50
The Travelers, insurance	811.34
Elwyn Miller, garbage removal	500.00
Anson Moore, rental of sign	10.00
Mueller Co., pressure reducer	38.45
Cullen Hardware Co., repairs at Morrone	9.74
Matilda Howland, rental for sign	10.00
Bethlehem Water Dept., repairs & services	62.32
Brinie P. Ferrin, advertising expense	40.00
Bethlehem Amusement Co., land	2,000.00
Bethlehem Press, printing	2.00
George T. Noyes, auto permits	100.50
Edward Harrigan, P. W. A. survey	16.00
F. J. Shores, recording	2.03
Irving Phillips, timber surveying	32.91
John Burton, timber surveying	35.90

Allen Hazen, timber surveying -----	25.20
L. E. Cole, timber surveying -----	37.50
J. M. Page, M.D., medical services -----	3.00
George Richardson, P. W. A. Engineer --	100.00
Ropes, Grey, Boyden and Perkins, 1936 a/c bond attorneys -----	725.00
Littleton National Bank, deposit box -----	5.50
M. L. Jackson, discount on check -----	.25
Montgomery Ward Co., storage files -----	61.62
Wayside Garden, flowers -----	5.00
Union Leader Publishing Co., P. W. A. ad	86.94
Geo. H. Richardson, P. W. A. engineer --	400.00
F. W. Horne Co., accounting service ----	30.00
George T. Noyes, auto permits, P. W. A. expense -- -----	22.00
F. P. Shumway Company, advertising ----	343.51
E. T. Goodnow, delivering town reports--	13.04
Edson C. Eastman, supplies -----	36.36
Courier Printing Company, printing -----	47.74
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	\$ 6,667.31

Detail 29. Damages and Legal Expense:

Fred McLeod, damage to hay -----	20.00
H. L. Heald, legal services -----	108.16
E. T. Goodnow, for Willard Wight -----	3.00
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131.16

Detail 30. Taxes Bought by Town:

H. C. Barrett, Est. -----	762.88
Raymond C. Brooks -----	46.21
Bethlehem Fur Farm -----	64.52
Lucy Brooks -----	8.43
Alice Churchill -----	81.46
Sarah Chesley -----	688.97
Etta Colby -----	233.33
Charles & Bertha Eastman -----	144.23
Paul Ebelt -----	35.75
Hattie Garneau -----	119.43
Fred Gilbert -----	6.37
Ralph Hazen -----	121.73
David Hazen -----	44.18
Gertrude Harrigan -----	28.94
N. F. Miles, Est. -----	32.56
Fred Miller -----	28.77
Albert Murphy, Est. -----	26.74
Elmer Nichols -----	8.43
William Norman -----	8.37
Georgia Quimby -----	28.77
Ezra Peavey -----	59.28
Rufus Slocum -----	32.55
Rhetta Scott -----	12.79
Victor Whitcomb -----	21.51
John P. & A. White -----	105.03
F. D. Lewis, Est. -----	16.69
Israel Anthony -----	33.88
Deana Anthony, Est. -----	117.40
Bertha Davis -----	6.44

Hannah Gottlieb	5.81
Nona Lamere, Est.	26.74
Myron Richardson, Est.	130.23
Erwin Schofield	6.44
J. E. McKenna	29.65
Earl Thompson	18.03
John R. Tabor	47.19
Paul Ebel	32.08
Bertha Davis	4.93

3,226.74

Detail 31. Discounts and Abatements:

Fred Badger, decreased valuation	14.92
Raymond & Helen Brooks, taxed twice ..	8.64
John Clark, Est., decreased valuation	9.33
M. M. Holbrook, error	37.50
Bethlehem Golf Club	315.70
Clyde Pyer, decreased valuation	16.89
Manus Perkins, soldier's exemption	37.50
E. E. Trousdale, soldier's exemption	28.70
William Whittam, decreased valuation ...	11.48
M. A. Eiseman, taxed twice	5.74
Samuel Grubstein, rent Norman McLeod ..	90.00
Howard House, taxed twice	37.50
T. C. Perry, change in valuation	93.75
Irving Silverstein, taxed twice	14.35
Annie Holden	14.49
Mary Blandin, poll tax	2.00
Hattie Briggs, poll tax	2.00

Harvey Burlock, poll tax -----	2.00
Mary Burlock, poll tax -----	2.00
Florence Duffey, poll tax -----	2.00
Arline Goldstein, poll tax -----	2.00
Harry Goldstein, poll tax -----	2.00
Leland Hoik, poll tax -----	2.00
Shirley Hatch, poll tax -----	2.00
Elizabeth Levoie, poll tax -----	2.00
Eugene Miles, poll tax -----	2.00
Mrs. C. J. McKenna, poll tax -----	2.00
Arthur Reid, poll tax -----	2.00
Alfred Reid, poll tax -----	2.00
Mrs. E. E. Salisbury, poll tax -----	2.00
Alfred Simonds, poll tax -----	2.00
Mrs. M. Swinburne, poll tax -----	2.00
Mrs. Rose Biron, poll tax 3 yr. over 70---	6.00
Maud Ash, Road Allowance -----	13.48
Maplewood, Sewers & Sidewalks -----	400.00

 1,189.97

INTEREST

Detail 32. Temporary Loans:

Treasurer Trust Funds	\$ 150.00	
Littleton Savings Bank	450.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 600.00

Detail 33. Long Term Notes:

Littleton Savings Bank	1,620.00	
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Detail 34. Bonded Debt:

Littleton National Bank	1,590.00	
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OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION
AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

Detail 36. Highways and Bridges—State Aid Construction. Agassiz Road Construction:

New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts \$	480.89	
State Treasurer, appropriation	2,116.73	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,597.62

Detail 39. Highways and Bridges — Town Construction. Austin Road:

T. C. Churchill, payroll	1,160.04
W. P. A. Reconstruction: Paid by town ...	4,329.38
This includes all materials—culverts, cement, dynamite, pipe, etc., trucks, supervision, and non-certified labor.	
Paid by W. P. A. certified labor approximately \$6,000.00.	

5,489.42

Detail 43. Lands and Buildings:

Mrs. Christie Phillips, Brooks property---	51.00
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51.00

INDEBTEDNESS

Detail 45. Temporary Loans:

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$ 4,500.00
Littleton Savings Bank	22,500.00

\$27,000.00

Detail 46. Payment on Long Term Notes:

Littleton Savings Bank	3,000.00
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3,000.00

Detail 47. Payment on Bonded Debt:

Littleton National Bank, P. W. A Bonds	3,500.00	
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		3,500.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL
DIVISIONS

Detail 51. Taxes Paid to State:

State of New Hampshire	-----\$ 6,336.00	
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		6,336.00

Detail 52. Taxes Paid to County:

County of Grafton, appropriation	----- 11,826.57	
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		11,826.57

Detail 53. Payment to Precinct:

Bethlehem Village District, appropriation	16,500.00	
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		16,500.00

Detail 54. Payment to School District:

Bethlehem School District, appropriation	28,650.00	
Bethlehem School District, dog tax	----- 136.00	
Bethlehem School District, Forest Reserve	450.77	
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		29,236.77

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1938

*Town of Bethlehem**Town Program - Account Moth Extermination:*

Crew cost	\$402.90
Foreman cost	100.00
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Total expended	\$502.90
Paid by town	400.00
Balance paid by state	102.90
Area covered	838 acres
Currant & gooseberry bushes destroyed	15,917
Number of local men employed	12

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

RECEIPTS

Town Appropriation	\$500.00	
From Fines	5.96	
Interest on Cruft Fund	72.07	
	\$578.03	
Cash on Hand, Jan. 31, 1938	56.65	
	634.58	634.58

PAYMENTS

For Books	\$243.62	
For Magazines	16.05	
To Esther Turner, Librarian	91.50	
To Anne Walcott, Asst. Librarian	157.50	
To Miss Kidder	25.00	
For Supplies	5.50	
For Flowers, In Memoriam	2.25	
	\$541.42	
Cash on Hand Jan. 31, 1939	93.26	
	634.58	634.58

DETAILS OF TRUST FUND

	Principal	\$ Bal. of Income Last Year	\$ Income for Year	\$ Income Expended	\$ Bal. of Income Forwarded
Katherine Winch	\$ 100.00	\$ 28.88	\$ 3.24	\$ 5.00	\$ 27.12
Martha Jesseman	200.00	179.24	9.52	3.00	185.76
David S. Phillips	500.00	503.40	25.23	3.00	525.63
Lydia Sawyer	100.00	48.65	3.74	4.50	47.89
B. F. Muchmore	100.00	30.70	3.29	5.00	28.99
Joseph Bickford	100.00	50.52	3.79	5.00	49.31
Jerry S. Mudgett	100.00	17.12	2.94	3.00	17.06
William L. Shuttuck	100.00	8.59	2.73	3.00	8.32
Clark Noyes	100.00	21.68	3.06	7.00	17.74
Eli B. Wallace	100.00	30.54	3.29	3.00	30.83
Henry P. Smith	100.00	58.78	3.98	10.50	52.26
Walter C. Bartlett	100.00	24.98	3.14	5.00	23.12
Albanus Thompson	100.00	12.79	2.84	3.00	12.63
William E. Burgess	100.00	2.78	2.58		5.36
Charles Herbert	100.00	10.35	2.77	5.00	8.12
Laurentus Sweat	100.00	6.18	2.65	3.00	5.83
Spooner Presbt	50.00	7.08	1.43	3.00	5.51
Cyrus Bunker	100.00	5.29	2.63	5.00	2.92
Horace Wilder	100.00	7.37	2.68	3.00	7.05
William H. Sawyer	100.00	15.87	2.91	6.00	12.78
George T. Cruft	1,000.00	277.82	32.14	3.00	306.96
J. G. M. Glessner	100.00	18.49	2.96		21.45
James Vaill	100.00	11.27	2.78	5.00	9.05
John B. Ash	100.00	6.03	2.65	3.00	5.68
William Bean	100.00	5.29	2.63	3.00	4.92
David S. Phillips					
Needy Children	1,200.51	479.64	42.26		521.90
George T. Cruft					
Town Building	9,945.55		444.62	400.00	44.62
George T. Cruft					
Needy People	5,000.00				
Dr. J. M. Jeffries					
Comfort Station	1,000.00	690.93	40.57	77.45	654.05
MRS. FLORENCE TURNER					
BESSIE A. CONEY					
MYRON L. JACKSON, Trustees					
Trust Funds.					

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby certify that I have audited the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Treasurer of Trust Funds and Library Trustees from February 1, 1938 to January 31, 1939 and find them correctly balanced and expenditures properly vouched, with this exception, I find through an error in bookkeeping receipts of Town Treasurer too much by \$65.00 making cash on hand \$15,724.68 instead of \$15,789.68 as reported.

MARGARET L. GREEN, Auditor.

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE
Bethlehem Village District

FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING
January 31, 1939

DISTRICT OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Harry A. Goodwin

CLERK

Eleanor Winterbottom

TREASURER

George T. Noyes

COMMISSIONERS

J. Elmer Harrington Term Expires 1939

Edward Harrigan Term Expires 1940

T. Clare Churchill Term Expires 1941

AUDITOR

Roy T. Hildreth

FIRE CHIEF

E. T. Goodnow

ENGINEERS

Harold Taylor

John Harrigan

BALANCE

ASSETS

Cash on hand ----- \$ 2,380.81

Total Assets ----- \$ 2,380.81

GRAND TOTAL ----- \$ 2,380.81

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LIABILITIES

Notes Outstanding:

Littleton Savings Bank, serial note -----	\$ 1,000.00
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Total Liabilities -----	\$ 1,000.00
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus) -----	- 1,380.81
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GRAND TOTAL -----	\$ 2,380.81

*RECEIPTS AND*RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Town of Bethlehem, appropriation -----	\$16,500.00
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From Other Sources:

Littleton Savings Bank, interest -----	5.20
Littleton Savings Bank, temporary note -----	800.00
Water Department, loan -----	400.00
Various Persons, a/c collecting garbage -----	452.50
Irving Silverstein, tarvia -----	10.00
Sinclair Hotel, tarvia -----	75.00

Total Receipts from all sources -----	\$18,242.70
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Cash on hand at beginning of year -----	3,290.32
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GRAND TOTAL -----	\$21,533.02
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*PAYMENTS*PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

1. Street Maintenance -----	\$ 2,362.84
2. Sidewalks -----	353.55
3. Repairs to Sewers -----	640.75
4. Cleaning Streets -----	218.30
5. Dump -----	189.00
6. Removal of Garbage -----	600.00
7. Police Department -----	328.57
8. Water Department -----	10,905.20
9. Fire Department -----	300.00
10. Miscellaneous -----	518.00
11. Salaries -----	416.00

Total Current Maintenance Expenses -----	\$16,832.21
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Indebtedness:

Payments on principal of debt -----	2,200.00
Interest paid -----	120.00

Total payments for all purposes -----	\$19,152.21
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Cash on hand at end of year -----	2,380.81
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GRAND TOTAL -----	\$21,533.02
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Itemized Account of Current Maintenance Expenses:

1. Street Maintenance:

Treasurer State of N. H., tarvia	\$ 330.48
Mueller Company, hydrant	54.12
The Depot Store, supplies	15.21
W. A. Green, thawing culverts	3.00
The Barrett Company, tarvia ..	1,829.14
Andrew Lang, thawing culverts	2.81
Philip Sanborn, culverts and ditches	4.80
Merrill Gray, culverts and ditches	4.80
E. Thorne, labor ..	12.00
George Norman, labor	8.25
John Brooks, labor on ditches	6.00
T. W. Churchill & Sons, snow removal and sanding	59.48
J. White, truck	23.75
Burleigh Huntoon, truck	5.00
Edward Harrigan, culverts and ditches ..	4.00
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	\$ 2,362.84

2. Sidewalks:

W. E. Smith, sidewalk job	224.75
Philip Sanborn, mowing banks	128.80
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	353.55

3. Repairs to Sewers:

J. J. Coney, trucking	22.25
Bernard McCulloch, oil	2.35
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co., freight50
Edward Harrigan, labor	162.50

B. L. Harvey, cement	1.60
William Garneau, labor	2.50
William Whittum, labor	16.00
Floyd Nelson, labor	22.40
John Johnston, labor	36.80
Merrill Gray, labor	4.00
Burleigh Huntoon, drawing pipe	3.00
Charles Millar & Son Company, supplies	168.14
John Bean, labor	3.20
Burleigh Huntoon, labor	10.80
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies	79.20
Clayton Sanborn, labor	7.20
The Depot Store, Inc., cement	9.36
Edward Harrigan, lime80
T. C. Churchill, lime	3.90
Norman McLeod, labor	10.13
John Harrigan, stock	4.70
Edwin Thorne, labor	10.13
George Norman, labor	12.00
B. Stone, labor	7.13
R. Mason, labor	12.73
D. McLeod, labor	7.13
Max Glantz, labor and material for septic tank	15.50
Ernest Pierce, labor	4.80

 640.75

4. Cleaning Streets:

Edward Harrigan, labor	218.30
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 218.30

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5. Dump:

Philip Sanborn, labor -----	189.00	
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6. Removal of Garbage:

Elwyn Miller -----	600.00	
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7. Police Department:

Bernard McCulloch, salary -----	328.57	
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8. Water Department:

To Water Dept., for bonds and interest, appropriation -----	10,905.20	
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9. Fire Department:

To Fire Dept., appropriation -----	300.00	
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10. Miscellaneous:

I. F. Pennock & Son, material and labor ..	20.00
The Travelers Insurance Co., compensation insurance -----	50.00
The Travelers Insurance Co., insurance on fire truck -----	83.00
The Century Indemnity Co., bond -----	20.00
Baseball Committee -----	300.00
Firemen's Payroll for Littleton fire -----	45.00

 518.00

11. Salaries:

J. Elmer Harrington, Commissioner ----	100.00
Edward Harrigan, Commissioner -----	100.00
T. Clare Churchill, Commissioner -----	100.00
George T. Noyes, Treasurer -----	50.00
Harry A. Goodwin, Moderator -----	4.00
Eleanor Winterbottom, Clerk -----	10.00
Roy T. Hildreth, Auditor -----	2.00
John Harrigan, Engineer -----	20.00
Harold Taylor, Engineer -----	5.00
E. T. Goodnow, Fire Chief -----	25.00

 416.00

Indebtedness:

To Littleton Savings Bank, temporary note	800.00
To Littleton Savings Bank, payment on serial note -----	1,000.00
To Water Dept., loan -----	400.00

 2,200.00

Interest:

To Littleton Savings Bank, on temporary note -----	20.00
To Littleton Savings Bank, on serial note -----	100.00
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	120.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

Bethlehem Village District
Fire Department

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING

January 31, 1939

GEORGE T. NOYES, Treasurer

RECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Town of Bethlehem, appropriation ----- \$200.00

From Bethlehem Village District, appropriation ----- 300.00

Total Receipts ----- \$500.00

Cash on hand at beginning of year ----- 18.87

GRAND TOTAL ----- \$518.87

PAYMENTS

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

American Raincoat Co., fire coats	\$ 46.33
E. D. Ruellard Co., fire helmets	40.40
Eureka Fire Hose Division, fire hose	65.00
American LaFrance and Foamite Industries, hose connection	3.88
W. S. Darley and Company, supplies	17.78
C. F. Harris, bolts	1.00
C. A. Gardner, bolts	1.75
Robert Haskell and Associates, supplies	59.28
Long Hill Garage, repairs on fire truck	6.00
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies	15.65
Ira M. Ingraham, Delegate to Convention and furnishing car	15.00
Bailey's Garage, supplies	26.28
Robert Lucia, painting	7.00
Roy T. Hildreth, postage99
S. R. Jellison, printing	6.50
Firemen's payroll	153.00
N. H. State Firemen's Association, dues	7.00
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Total Payments	\$472.84
Cash on hand at end of year	46.03
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GRAND TOTAL	\$518.87

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

Bethlehem Village District
Water Department

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING

January 31, 1939

WATER COMMISSIONERS

George Tucker	Term Expires 1939
John J. Harrigan	Term Expires 1940
George Norman	Term Expires 1941

GEORGE T. NOYES, Treasurer

BALANCE

ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$ 322.82
In Littleton Savings Bank, reserve for payment of bonds and coupons	4,500.00
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Total Assets	4,822.82
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	114,177.18
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GRAND TOTAL	\$119,000.00

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LIABILITIES

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Littleton Savings Bank, serial note -----\$ 7,500.00

Bonds Outstanding:

Manchester Trust Company, bonds ----- 64,000.00

First National Bank of Boston, bonds ----- 47,500.00

GRAND TOTAL -----\$119,000.00

*RECEIPTS AND***RECEIPTS**

Current Revenue:

From water taxes	\$ 10,555.45
Bethlehem Village District, appropriation	10,905.20

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Various Persons, a/c gooseneck connections	70.00
B. P. Ferrin, regulator and strainer	12.00
Bretton Woods Company, pipe	19.68
Town of Bethlehem, supplies and labor	62.32
T. C. Perry, supplies	51.29
Ross Mfg. Company, refund	4.52
Bethlehem Village District, payment of loan	400.00

Total receipts from all sources	\$ 22,080.46
Cash on hand at beginning of year	2,099.85

GRAND TOTAL\$ 24,180.31

*PAYMENTS***PAYMENTS**

Current Maintenance Expenses:

(a) Supplies	\$ 871.82
(b) Repairs	523.35
(c) Company Car	422.94
(d) Sundry Bills	124.51
(e) Salaries	1,163.00

Total Maintenance	\$ 3,105.62
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Indebtedness:

Payment on bonds	9,500.00
Payment on serial note	1,500.00

Total Indebtedness Payments	11,000.00
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Interest Paid	4,851.87
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Loan made to Bethlehem Village District	400.00
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Total payments for all purposes	19,357.49
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Cash on hand at end of year	322.82
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In Littleton Savings Bank, reserve for payment of bonds and coupons	4,500.00
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 24,180.31
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Itemized Account of Current Maintenance Expenses:

(a) Supplies

R. D. Wood Company, pipe -----	\$ 277.76
Charles Millar & Son Company, supplies --	317.79
Mueller Company, Inc., service boxes ----	22.80
Red Hed Mfg. Company, supplies -----	72.89
George A. Caldwell Company, supplies --	52.83
Berlin Foundry & Machine Company, iron ..	27.00
Fournier's Store, dynamite -----	3.75
Farnan Brass Works Company, supplies --	3.06
Manus Perkins, lead -----	20.90
Littleton Hardware, lights and batteries --	7.10
C. F. Harris & Company, service rods ----	16.40
L. M. Jackson & Son, supplies -----	8.00
C. H. Eastman, making wrenches and sharpening tools -----	1.50
F. E. Goold, rubber boots -----	5.50
Bernard McCulloch, oil -----	34.54

\$ 871.82

(b) Repairs:

John Brooks, labor -----	3.00
Burleigh Huntoon, labor -----	26.63
F. E. Huntoon, labor -----	11.25
Wilbur Churchill, labor -----	5.25
Ira Inghram, labor -----	12.70
Austin Hynes, labor -----	10.50
Trefley La Clair, use of horses -----	12.00
Charles Harriman, labor -----	3.38
Louis Garneau, labor -----	8.44
G. Merrill Gray, labor -----	2.25

Norman McLeod, labor -----	10.50
Wendell McLeod, labor -----	16.50
Eugene Pingree, labor -----	85.13
Harold Taylor, labor -----	2.25
Ernest Pierce, labor -----	21.38
Henry Roy, labor -----	3.00
T. W. Churchill & Sons, truck -----	48.36
William Garneau, labor -----	8.44
Mace Lufkin, team -----	6.00
Long Hill Garage, thawing -----	36.00
Alphonse Wysocki, labor -----	5.25
Donald McLeod, labor -----	3.00
Edwin Thorne, labor -----	27.75
Maurice Plante, labor -----	2.04
Clayton Sanborn, labor -----	1.88
David Sleeper, labor -----	1.50
Henry Sanborn, labor -----	40.13
James Newcombe, labor -----	5.25
Robert Norman, paid for sharpening tools	1.20
Robert Norman, labor -----	100.14
Philip Sanborn, labor -----	2.25

 523.35

(c) Company Car:

Bailey's Garage, gas, oil, and supplies -----	381.34
Travelers Insurance Company, insurance	
on truck -----	41.60

 422.94

(d) Sundry Bills:

Fred E. Blackburn, freight charges	
and express -----	8.51
Boston & Maine, express and freight	2.92
J. W. Ross, freight and express -----	2.05
Water & Light Dept., express -----	1.58
Ira Inghram, paid for freight -----	46.55
Courier Printing Company, envelopes	
and books -----	9.00
Eleanor Winterbottom, bookkeeping for	
Public Service Commission report	50.00
Roy T. Hildreth, box rent and postage	3.90
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124.51

(e) Salaries:

T. Clare Churchill, salary -----	50.00
J. Elmer Harrington, salary -----	50.00
Edward Harrigan, salary -----	50.00
George T. Noyes, Treasurer -----	50.00
Eleanor Winterbottom, Collector and Clerk	150.00
Robert Norman, salary -----	813.00
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1,163.00

Indebtedness:

Manchester Trust Company, bonds -----	7,000.00
The First National Bank of Boston, bonds	2,500.00
The Littleton Savings Bank, serial note	1,500.00
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11,000.00

Interest:

Manchester Trust Company, coupons -----	2,840.00
The First National Bank of Boston coupons	1,584.37
The Littleton Savings Bank, interest on serial note -----	427.50

 4,851.87

Loan made to Bethlehem Village District -----	400.00
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 400.00

Uncollected water taxes:

Before June 1, 1937 -----	\$ 2,384.11
June 1, 1937 to June 1, 1938 -----	117.50

Total -----	\$ 2,501.61
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AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of Bethlehem Village District, Water Department and Fire Department and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

I also find uncollected water bills to the amount of \$2,501.61.

ROY. T. HILDRETH, Auditor.

Bethlehem School District

Report of School District Officers for the School Year July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938; Budget and Estimated Receipts for the School Year 1938-1939; Recommendations for the School Year 1939-1940.

District Officers

SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Anne I. Wolcott, Chairman	Term expires 1941
Mrs. Mabel F. Harrigan	Term expires 1941
Bernard Harvey	Term expires 1940
Charles Brown	Term expires 1940
J. Elmer Harrington	Term expires 1939
Raymond C. Brooks	Term expires 1939

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND CLERK OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

Dana S. Jordan

MODERATOR

Harry A. Goodwin

CLERK

Joseph G. Williamson

TREASURER

John McDonell

AUDITOR

Roy T. Hildreth

TRUANT OFFICER

E. T. Goodnow

SCHOOL NURSE

Hazel Bryant

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

John M. Page

SUPERVISORY UNION CLERK

Marion C. Howland

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Citizens of Bethlehem:

The school board herewith submits its annual report. The report includes the treasurer's report for the fiscal year July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938 with an itemized statement of expenditures; budgets and estimated receipts for the present school year and for next year; written reports by the superintendent of schools and by the headmaster of the high school.

We recommend that the school district raise the sum of \$27,500.00 for the support of schools for the year beginning July 1, 1939. With the estimated balance and with other estimated funds this sum should be enough for the next school year.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne I. Wolcott
Mabel F. Harrigan
J. Elmer Harrington
Raymond C. Brooks
Bernard Harvey
Charles Brown

*RECEIPTS AND***RECEIPTS**

School Year 1937-1938

State and Federal Aid:

National Forest Reserve	\$ 450.77
From Selectmen	28,400.00
From sources other than taxation:	
Dog licenses	136.00
Tuition	95.00
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Total receipts from all sources	29,081.77
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1937	107.18
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GRAND TOTAL\$29,188.95

PAYMENTS

PAYMENTS

Administration:

1. Salaries -----	\$ 207.00
2. Superintendent's excess salary -----	452.94
3. Truant officer and school census -----	25.00
4. Expenses of administration -----	345.35

Instruction:

5. Principal's and teachers' salaries -----	8,525.00
6. Text books -----	320.63
7. Scholars' supplies -----	333.09
8. Flags and appurtenances -----	3.75
9. Other expenses of instruction -----	92.60

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

10. Janitor service -----	960.00
11. Fuel -----	904.83
12. Light and janitor's supplies -----	429.21
13. Minor repairs and expenses -----	352.27

Auxiliary agencies and special activities:

14. Medical inspection and health -----	236.50
15. Transportation of pupils -----	6,801.00
18. Other special activities -----	146.97

Fixed Charges:

19. Insurance -----	222.75
20. Tax for state wide supervision -----	466.00

Outlay for construction and equipment:

23. New equipment -----	126.54
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Debt, interest and other charges:

24. Payment on principal of debt -----	5,000.00
25. Payment of interest on debt -----	2,900.00

Total payments for all purposes -----	\$28,851.43
Total cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1938 -----	337.52
GRAND TOTAL -----	\$29,188.95

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1938

ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$ 337.52
Excess of liabilities over assets	69,662.48
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GRAND TOTAL	\$70,000.00

LIABILITIES

School building bonds	\$70,000.00
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GRAND TOTAL	\$70,000.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

ADMINISTRATION

Salaries of District Officers:

Anne Wolcott, Chairman, school board -----	\$ 50.00
J. Elmer Harrington, school board -----	25.00
Mabel F. Harrigan, school board -----	25.00
Bernard L. Harvey, school board -----	25.00
Raymond C. Brooks, school board -----	25.00
Charles Brown, school board -----	25.00
Harry Goodwin, moderator -----	2.00
Joseph Williamson, clerk -----	2.00
Roy Hildreth, auditor -----	3.00
John McDonell, treasurer -----	25.00
	\$ 207.00

Superintendent's Excess Salary:

New Hampshire State Treasurer -----	\$ 452.94
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Truant Officer and School Census:

Harold Brown, Treas. Senior Class (census) -----	10.00
E. T. Goodnow, truant officer -----	15.00
	\$ 25.00

Expenses of Administration:

Silsby's Book Store -----	\$ 2.00
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. -----	54.36
Northern Office Supply -----	1.50
The Courier Printing Co., Inc. -----	28.82
John McDonell -----	9.00

Edwin Betz -----	2.05
Dana S. Jordan -----	12.00
George T. Noyes -----	10.00
Littleton Union School District -----	223.54
Carl Larson -----	2.08
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	\$ 345.35

Text-books :

J. B. Lippincott Co. -----	\$ 22.84
Scott, Foresman & Co. -----	9.41
D. Appleton-Century Co. -----	9.84
South Western Publishing Co. -----	5.75
The Gregg Publishing Co. -----	21.69
The Arlo Publishing Co. -----	60.19
The John C. Winston Publishing Co. -----	34.93
Iroquois Publishing Co., Inc. -----	19.24
The A. N. Palmer Co. -----	4.28
Webster Publishing Co. -----	5.80
Row, Peterson & Co. -----	4.05
The Macmillan Co. -----	37.54
Ginn & Co. -----	76.07
The Arlo Publishing Co. -----	4.73
Houghton Mifflin Co. -----	3.25
Littleton Union School District -----	1.02

\$ 320.63

South-Western Publishing Co., Inc. -----	18.49
Littleton Union School District -----	7.46
The Peck Co. -----	39.00
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	\$ 333.09
Flags: Philip H. James -----	3.75

Other Expenses of Instruction:

McKenzie Engraving Co. -----	\$ 18.16
The National Survey Co. -----	1.50
American Book Co. -----	.65
The Bobbs-Merrill Co. -----	9.19
The Circle Book Co. -----	3.85
Webster Publishing Co. -----	1.97
The Bethlehem Press -----	6.50
World Book Co. -----	11.63
O. H. Toothaker -----	1.24

Northern Office Supply	4.00
The John C. Winston Co.	13.03
Phillips Ribbon & Carbon Co.	4.50
Deveda L. Cushing	1.35
McKnight & McKnight	1.50
Silver Burdett Co.	2.72
Barnes & Noble, Inc.95
Littleton Union School District	3.86
M. P. Gallagher	6.00
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	\$ 92.60

Fuel:

Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp.	16.00
L. M. Jackson & Son	860.92
Northern Coal Co.	27.91
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	\$ 904.83

Light and Janitor's Supplies:

Public Service Co., of New Hampshire.....	\$ 352.27
Standard Cotton Goods Co.	28.50
Cheshire Chemical Co.	12.00
Masury-Young Co.	3.69
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co.	7.27
Milton Bradley Co.	5.80

L. M. Jackson & Son	1.40
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.62
Edward E. Babb & Co. Inc.	6.26
Paul Trippett	5.40
Charles F. Hubbs & Co.	5.00
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	\$ 429.21

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

T. W. Churchill & Sons	\$ 17.20
	1.00
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Northern Coal Co.	37.57
Paul Trippett	6.00
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	\$ 352.27

AUXILIARY AGENCIES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Medical Inspection:

Mathes Drug Store	\$ 4.00
Dr. John M. Page	82.50
Community Nursing Association	150.00
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	\$ 236.50

Transportation:

Thomas Scott	\$ 585.00
Raymond Quimby	726.00
James McDonell	945.00
Joseph J. Coney	3,960.00
Charles Sanborn	585.00
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	\$ 6,801.00

Other Special Activities:

Horace Partridge	\$ 15.21
Edwin Betz	79.69
L. M. Jackson & Son	48.07
Deveda L. Cushing	1.00
Beaudette & Co.	3.00
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	\$ 146.97

OUTLAY FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT

New Equipment:

Denoyer-Geppert Co.	\$ 29.51
Central Scientific Co.	97.03
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	\$ 126.54

FIXED CHARGES

Tax for Supervision:

New Hampshire State Treasurer, per capita tax	\$ 466.00
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Insurance:

George T. Noyes	\$ 222.75
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Debt, Interest and Other Charges:

The Manchester Trust Co., bonds	\$ 5,000.00
Interest	2,900.00
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Total expenditures	\$28,851.43
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the treasurer and school board of the school district of Bethlehem for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938 and find them correct in all respects.

ROY T. HILDRETH, Auditor.

June 30, 1938.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGETS AND ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Budget 1938- 1939	Budget 1939- 1940
1. Salaries of district officers -----	\$ 209.00	\$ 209.00
2. Superintendent's excess salary -----	440.00	440.00
3. Truant officer and census -----	25.00	25.00
4. Expenses of administration -----	300.00	300.00
5. Teachers' salaries -----	8,700.00	8,700.00
6. Text books -----	250.00	250.00
7. Scholars' supplies -----	350.00	350.00
9. Other expenses of instruction -----	200.00	200.00
10. Janitor service -----	960.00	960.00
11. Fuel -----	900.00	900.00
12. Lights -----	350.00	350.00
13. Minor repairs and expenses -----	300.00	300.00
14. Health -----	250.00	250.00
15. Transportation of pupils -----	6,900.00	6,900.00
18. Other special activities -----	100.00	200.00
19. Per capita tax -----	430.00	402.00
20. Insurance -----	144.00	144.00
23. New equipment -----	200.00	200.00
24. Debt -----	5,000.00	5,000.00
25. Interest -----	2,700.00	2,500.00
	\$28,708.00	\$28,580.00

	Estimated Receipts 1938-1939	Estimated Receipts 1939-1940
Balance July 1 -----	\$ 337.52	\$ 1,000.00
Appropriation -----	29,000.00	27,560.00
Dog tax -----	111.00	100.00
Forest Reserve Fund -----	545.23	100.00
Tuition -----	25.00	
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	\$30,018.75	\$28,700.00

Superintendent's Report

To the School Board:

I herewith present the following report relative to your schools:

The school registers show that the total enrollment this year to the last of January is as follows:

Grade	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII
	21	22	12	18	15	24	16	17
Grade		IX	X	XI	XII	P. G.	Total	
		9	10	17	10	3	194	

A comparison for eight years shows the following enrollment, year closing June 30.

1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
228	231	233	231	233	213	203	194

The enrollment to date this year is practically the same as last year—somewhat smaller than for the years immediately preceding. Of the 194 registered this year only 158 are now in school. Some of these 36 non-members will return in the spring. The cost per pupil shown on another page is reckoned on the average membership. This cost is somewhat greater than in most schools of the same size because the membership is greatly increased in the fall and the spring, and equipment and books must be provided for all pupils.

MEDICAL INSPECTION AND REMEDIAL WORK

Defects	No. of pupils affected Sept. 1937	Pupils receiving treatment	Defects corrected	No. of pupils affected Sept. 1938
Underweight 10%	98		25	33
Defective Vision	7		4	16
Defective Hearing	1	1		
Cardiac Disease	4	4		4
Pulmonary Disease	7	7		
Defective Teeth	27	12	10	29
Defective Tonsils	3	3	4	5
Asthma	3	3		1

During the present school year Miss Bryant has arranged for all pupils having dental defects to have the opportunity of treatment. Pupils having vision defects, whose parents have been unable to pay for glasses, have been given the opportunity for examination and have been furnished glasses. Not all of the pupils with listed vision defects need glasses. A throat clinic will be held next summer. The smaller number of pupils ten per cent underweight is an encouraging indication of the progress in health work. A hot cup of cocoa or soup is being furnished during the winter months this year as in former years—at cost to those who can afford to pay for same, free to those underweight pupils who cannot afford to pay for it. No Federal funds for milk or lunches are now available.

For the past two years the town of Bethlehem has appropriated \$300.00 and the school district \$150.00 for the district nursing association. This money has been part of the fund that has maintained a district nurse in Littleton and Bethlehem. Miss Bryant has been very active in conducting the health work in school. She gives considerable time to the families in Bethlehem in addition to the school work. Her efforts extend to a study of the needs for food and clothing and medicine, and to ways of procuring those needs in all homes to which she is called. No one except the families helped realizes the full scope of her activities. The money necessary for carrying out her program has been donated by interested organizations and individuals in both towns. The service is very much needed.

During the past five years considerable revision has been made in the high school program of studies. The program now includes four units (year courses) in English, four in science, four units in mathematics, five units in social science, four in commerce, and two each in Latin and French. The outline of the new English program recommended by the State Board of Education is being quite closely followed. The program in social science is now being revised by a committee of the Educational Council working with the office of the State Board of Education. An outline for a program in safety education in all grades has been recently

printed by the State Board of Education. This program is in the hands of all teachers. Safety is taught largely in connection with other subjects. A new series of safety readers has been purchased for the first six grades this year.

Recommended outlines for instruction in arts and crafts will soon be published by the State Board. You might wisely consider offering one or two year's courses in crafts, selecting from the suggested program such units of work as seem most useful to the pupils in Bethlehem. These courses are: weaving, hooked and braided rugs, art metal, jewelry, block printing, woodcarving, pottery. These courses would probably be much less expensive to introduce than courses in wood-working and perhaps less expensive than courses in home economics. Any accredited high school teacher who takes an intensive course in arts and crafts at summer school will be permitted to teach this subject.

A much larger percentage of the total enrollment is in high school than a decade ago. To meet the needs of these pupils some courses of vocational or avocational nature should be given.

* Miss Smith resigned a short time before school was scheduled to open in September. Miss Mary L. Hogan of Watertown, Mass., a graduate of Regis College, was selected to teach English, Latin and French. Miss Hogan was highly recommended by Regis College. Miss Edith C. Linton of Antrim, N. H., one of the highest ranking students in class work and in practice teaching in last year's class at Plymouth Normal School was selected to teach junior high school subjects and mathematics in the high school. Both of these young ladies are doing good work. They have been very helpful in the extra-curricular activities of the high school. No other changes have occurred in the teaching staff.

For several years standard intelligence tests have been given in grades one, four, seven, nine and twelve. A general achievement test has been given near the close of the school year in grades four to eight inclusive. Reading tests have been given in the first grade, and tests

in reading, spelling and arithmetic in the second and third grades. In the high school standard tests selected by the teachers have been given in certain subjects. The intelligence test given the senior class, and tests in two subjects also given the seniors have been under the direction of the State Board of Education. The results of these tests are available for the use of the teachers at all times. They should be helpful in judging ability and achievement. They do not tell the whole story of any pupil's progress. This year silent reading tests have been given to pupils in grades four to nine inclusive. These tests have been studied for pupils' weaknesses and some remedial work has been attempted. Another form of the same test will be given later and progress noted.

During the past year swings and teeter boards have been purchased for the playground. A unit heater has been placed in the unused room in the basement and some play equipment has been purchased for this room. The office, teachers' room, and some classrooms have been painted and other minor repairs have been made.

Mrs. Alice Glessner and Mrs. Frances G. Lee have given several pictures to the school. Mr. Alvin Ivie has given a large bronze tablet with Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. Mrs. D. A. McKinley has given a copy of the Declaration of Independence.

The budget you have approved for the next school year, July 1, 1939 to June 30, 1940, is \$28,580.00. If this budget is not exceeded it will be the smallest expenditure since 1932. The present school year will close with an estimated balance of \$900.00 - \$1,000.00. The receipts from the Federal Forest Reserve fund will probably be less next year than in most previous years. A district appropriation of \$27,500.00 will be necessary to balance the budget. This is somewhat less than has been appropriated in recent years.

The school district bonds are now reduced to \$65,000.00. The building has been maintained in good condition, and considerable equipment has been added since its dedication. The present program of financing includes the payment of \$5,000.00 on the bond issue and

interest on same each year. It also provides that the payments for insurance, equipment and repairs shall be about the same each year. Without definite curtailment of the present program of instruction further reduction in the appropriation will not be possible for several years, probably not until the bonds are retired. The request for this year is smaller than usual, in fact, because of the expected balance. It represents a small tax on the equalized valuation of the district in comparison with other school districts. The expenditure last year was \$8.11 on the equalized valuation. Only 11 districts in the state spent less and 230 spent more.

I appreciate keenly your interest in all school problems and your cooperation in my efforts for the improvement of the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA S. JORDAN.

Headmaster's Report

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my annual report and summary of work. The total enrollment of the present year is 49. There are 10 seniors, 17 juniors, 10 sophomores, 9 freshmen and 3 post-graduates.

The percent of attendance to date is above the state median. The number of tardiness per pupil is lower than last year for the same period of time.

The health of the pupils in the school is very good. Pupils, however, who are suffering from bad colds should remain at home, thereby lessening the possibility of infecting others and endangering their own health. Pupils are carefully watched to prevent the spread of contagion or infection.

Each teacher has charge of some extra-curricular activity in the school. These activities, which are carefully supervised, play an important part in a child's mental and physical development. These activities include basketball for both boys and girls, baseball, golf, winter sports, dramatics, prize speaking and school socials. This year several boys and girls are competing in the state wide contest in one-act play production. Each play written is to be produced by pupils of the high school. The high school is to be represented by one play in the state wide contest.

The winner of the prize speaking contest will compete in the state finals at Durham. One or more scholarship teams will participate in state wide examinations held at Plymouth.

To prevent too many school programs near the close of the year the senior class play was given during the fall term. The response of the large number who attended indicated that it came up to the high standard maintained in the past. A large number appreciated the Christmas program. The annual Pop Concert will be presented later. Knowing that people appreciate fine performances we will do our best not to disappoint them.

The Activities Association which was organized last year is proving very successful. Without such an organization it would be impossible to properly finance the activities of the school.

Our program of studies includes courses in French, Latin, English, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Physiography, Economics, Sociology, and three history courses. The commercial course is adapted to give pupils an elementary training in the field of business. The program of studies has enough college preparatory subjects so that pupils who have applied themselves diligently in high school may enter college or other post secondary school with reasonable expectation of success. In addition to various tests already given, reading tests were given to grades five through nine. Much of a child's difficulty in school is due to reading difficulties. Each case was carefully diagnosed and those with reading difficulties were given special help. The results have already more than justified the work done in this line. Although we are somewhat handicapped for lack of time we hope to extend this work in other studies.

I am gratified to report that almost all of the boys and girls are taking their work more seriously. The teachers are continually trying to impress on them the value of work well done. We do not feel, however, that all work is well done. Even higher standards should be placed before them as a real challenge to good work.

Hot lunches are served during the winter months at a minimum charge. Those who cannot afford to pay are not deprived of this lunch.

In closing I wish to thank you for your valuable help to the teachers and to me. I also wish to express my appreciation to the school board, the teachers, Mr. Norman, and citizens for their hearty cooperation throughout the school year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN BETZ.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Bethlehem, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1938

Date of Death and Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Single, Married	Widowed, Divorced	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days							
Jan. 5, Littleton, N. H.	Clara L. Smith	86	2	9	Bethlehem, N. H.	F	W	Retired	Willis Wilder	Sarah Winch	
Jan. 25, Plainville, Mass.	Lyman Ulysses Cole	76	11	29	Jay, Maine	M	W	Carpenter	Amos Cole	Elizabeth M. Murray	
Feb. 6, Bethlehem, N. H.	Margaret O. Murphy	75	10	19	Co. Cork, Ireland	F	M	Housewife	Dennis Omahoney	Mary Sullivan	
Mar. 1, Bethlehem, N. H.	Albert Murphy	78	1	14	Patterson, N. Y.	M	W	Retired Farmer	Nelson Murphy	Harriet Cloier	
Mar. 11, Concord, N. H.	Belle Dexter	69	2	14	Bethlehem, N. H.	F	S	Housework	George W. Dexter	Eliza Young	
Apr. 18, Meredith, N. H.	Ida Belle Streeter	71	7	7	Dalton, N. H.	F	W	None	Herbert Griswold	Sarah Baker	
Apr. 21, Bethlehem, N. H.	Ardell Johnson	73	8	13	Littleton, N. H.	F	W	Housework	George Harriman	Caroline Nourse	
May 8, Bethlehem, N. H.	Margaret A. Harrigan	77	3	6	Ireland	F	W	Housewife	Patrick Finn	Mary Ash	
June 29, Bethlehem, N. H.	Richard Hendel	60			Lithuania	M	M	Retired	Alexander Hendel		
July 5, Bethlehem, N. H.	Frederick D. Lewis	78	5	19	W. Littleton, N. H.	M	M	Retired Farmer	George D. Lewis	Julia Mason	
July 23, Bethlehem, N. H.	Phoebe A. Dodge	67	4	3	Dummer, N. H.	F	M	Housewife	Horace Chandler	Sarah Hayward	
July 31, Bethlehem, N. H.	Hyman Minsky	49	2	26	Russia	M	S	Poultry Dealer	Joseph Minsky		
Aug. 26, Bethlehem, N. H.	James Yearsley	74	11		Coatesville, Pa.	M	W	Lawyer	Isaac Yearsley	Ann Elizabeth Rankin	
Sept. 2, Bethlehem, N. H.	Victor Bychowier	77			Russia	M	M	Doctor	Raphael Bychowier		
Sept. 10, Bethlehem, N. H.	Frank Bernstein	64	3	20	Kovino, Russia	M	M	Executive	Eliot Bernstein		
Sept. 15, Bethlehem, N. H.	Flora McC. Varney	76	7	26	Bethlehem, N. H.	F	W	Home	J. Henry McCullock	Asenath Dexter	
Sept. 24, Bethlehem, N. H.	Lena K. West	78	11	18	St Johnsbury Ctr. Vt.	F	M	Home	Eli Kelley	Elizabeth Stole	
Dec. 3, Bethlehem, N. H.	Cynthia A. Kidder	87	9	24	Bethlehem, N. H.	F	S	Home	James M. Kidder	Lucy Houghton	
Dec. 30, Littleton, N. H.	Infant Taylor				Littleton, N. H.	F	S		Harold C. Taylor	Hattie E. Whitcomb	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE T. NOYES, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bethlehem, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1938

Date of Marriage and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Names of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Apr. 2, Manchester, N. H.	Frank A. Wageman	Manchester, N. H.	22	2nd Lieut. C. C. C.	Alvis Wageman Mary Cleymen	Fred S. Buschmeyer Christian Minister Manchester, N. H.
	Dorothy E. Colman	Bethlehem, N. H.	22	Teacher	Arthur E. Colman	
Apr. 19, Lincoln, N. H.	Alexander Campbell	Bethlehem, N. H.	62	Farmer	Alice Sargeant James Campbell	Carl L. Sullenberges Ordained Minister Lincoln, N. H.
	Alice Farr Pennock	Bethlehem, N. H.	54	Housekeeper	Margaret S. Weir Norman Farr	
Apr. 25, Lancaster, N. H.	James W. Ricker	Littleton, N. H.	59	Tree Surgeon	Nancy Hunter James E. Ricker	William T. Thistle Clergyman Lancaster, N. H.
	Doris M. Martin	Bethlehem, N. H.	10	Housekeeper	Mary Clark Ara Hoit Martin	
Apr. 30, Littleton, N. H.	Fred W. Bean	Bethlehem, N. H.	57	Foreman N. H. H. D.	Rose May Kirk Benjamin F. Bean	Thomas A. Goodwin Minister Littleton, N. H.
	Gertrude E. Miller	New Rochelle, N. Y.	59	At Home	Sarah Ann Eudy Peter H. Richardson	
May 9, Bethlehem, N. H.	Clayton LeR. Sanborn	Bethlehem, N. H.	22	Laborer	Georgianna Launsberry Philip Sanborn	George T. Noyes Justice of the Peace Bethlehem, N. H.
	Shirley M. Clark	Bethlehem, N. H.	17	Waitress	Emma Jane Brooks Earl L. Clark	
June 11, Bethlehem, N. H.	Jason C. Somerville	Bethlehem, N. H.	45	Landscape Gardener	Louise B. Aldrich Jason C. Somerville	F. J. Andrews Clergyman Bethlehem, N. H.
	Clara M. Elliott	Bridgeport, Conn.	48	At Home	Sally Y. Thum F. C. Meyer Emily Gummell	

July 1, North Conway, N. H.	Lee D. Bowman	Springfield, Vt.	31 Aviator	Albert C. Bowman	A. Eugene Lloyd Baptist Minister North Conway, N. H.
Sept. 3, Franklin, N. H.	Rachael A. Goodrich	Chester, Vt.	18 At Home	May Dascombe Wilbur W. Goodrich	Charles W. Kelley Clergyman Franklin, N. H.
Sept. 23, Bethlehem, N. H.	Charles W. Kelley	Littleton, N. H.	29 Landscape Gardener	Mary S. Brown Stephen M. Kelley	A. J. Holley Clergyman Bethlehem, N. H.
	Edna R. Howland	Bethlehem, N. H.	20 Bookkeeper	Ernestine Balch Don H. Howland	George T. Noyes Justice of the Peace Bethlehem, N. H.
Sept. 25, Bethlehem, N. H.	Luther M. Jackson	Bethlehem, N. H.	27 Stock Clerk	Myrtie E. Lakeway Myron L. Jackson	Rev. H. A. Hennon Roman Catholic Priest Littleton, N. H.
	Grace E. Smith	Goffstown, N. H.	30 Teacher	Florence Griffin Herbert L. Smith	
	John J. Fedor	Yonkers, N. Y.	28 Golf Professional	Edith I. Jenks Joseph Fedor	
	Margery W. Fedor	St. Petersburg, Fla.	24 Homemaker	Julia Betrasy Harry E. Wilson	
Oct. 15, Littleton, N. H.	John F. Redfield	Bethlehem, N. H.	25 2nd Lieut. U. S. A.	Eoline Monson Burt Redfield	
	Alice D. McDonell	Bethlehem, N. H.	24 P. O. Clerk	Sarah Luscombe John McDonell Margaret Finn	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE T. NOYES, Town Clerk

Births Registered in the Town of Bethlehem, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1938

Date of Birth and Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. of Children	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace	
							of Father	of Mother
Jan. 18	M	S	2	Wilsie Austin Currie	Doris M. Martin	Bethlehem, N. H.	Littleton, N. H.	Wilton, N. H.
March 13, Julia Ann	F	L	6	William A. Stone	Julia A. Taylor	Bethlehem, N. H.	Providence, R. I.	Durham, N. H.
April 22, Shirley Helen	F	L	1	Rodney R. Mason	Marjorie LaPete	Bethlehem, N. H.	Stansted, P. Q.	Barton, Vt.
May 28, Ronald Richard	M	L	1	Earl Tilton	Leola A. Sanborn	Bethlehem, N. H.	Littleton, N. H.	Bethlehem, N. H.
June 30, Lorraine Merilyn	F	L	1	Alfred E. Corliss	Gwendolyn Wing	Bethlehem, N. H.	Derby, Vt.	Charleston, Vt.
Sept. 16, George Edward	M	L	9	John L. Nastasia	Viola E. Washburn	Bethlehem, N. H.	Barnston, Que.	Barnston, Que.
Oct. 8	M	L	9	John L. Nastasia	Dorothy M. Peabody	Bethlehem, N. H.	Watertown, Mass.	Franconia, N. H.
Oct. 8	F	L	10	George R. Sanborn	Dorothy M. Peabody	Bethlehem, N. H.	Watertown, Mass.	Franconia, N. H.
Nov. 18, Joan	F	L	1	Harold C. Taylor	Verna E. Webster	Bethlehem, N. H.	Bethlehem, N. H.	Piermont, N. H.
Dec. 30	F	S			Hattie E. Whitcomb	Bethlehem, N. H.	Bethlehem, N. H.	Bethlehem, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE T. NOYES, Town Clerk.

